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May 5, 2014

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Clerk United States Court of Appeals for the Fifth Circuit 600 S. Maestri Place New Orleans, LA 70130

Re: Robert R. Tolan

v. Jeffrey Wayne Cotton

No. 13-551

(Your No. 12-20296)

UNITED STATES COUNTS
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS
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David J. Bradley, Clerk of Court

Dear Clerk:

The motion of NAACP Legal Defense and Educational Fund, Inc. for leave to file a brief as amicus curiae is granted. The Court today filed an opinion per curiam vacating and remanding the case for further proceedings consistent with the opinion which can be found on the Court's website.

The judgment or mandate of this Court will not issue for at least twenty-five days pursuant to Rule 45. Should a petition for rehearing be filed timely, the judgment or mandate will be further stayed pending this Court's action on the petition for rehearing.

Sincerely,

Clerk of the Court, Clerk

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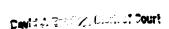
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No. 12-20296 Robert Tolan, et al v. Jeffrey Cotton, et al USDC No. 4:09-CV-1324

Dear Mr. Bradley,

Enclosed is a copy of the Supreme Court order granting certiorari.

Sincerely,

LYLE W. CAYCE, Clerk

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